

WILL FOLK OR  
MACHINE WIN  
JOPLIN FIGHT?

If Supporters of Circuit Attorney Control Delegate Convention, Gov. Dockery Is Likely to Be Only Machine Man on 'Big Four.'

PHELPS WANTS SEAT AS AN  
ELEVENTH DISTRICT DELEGATE

Hawes Blames Butler for Candidacy of Legislative Agent, but Boss' Chief Supporters Say He Has No Connection With Movement.

The principal issue of the Democratic convention, which meets at Joplin Wednesday to select four delegates at large to the national Democratic convention, is between the Folk men and the machine men which shall control. If the Folk men control the convention, the "Big Four" state will be smashed, only Gov. Dockery remaining. If the organization leaders control, there will probably not be a Folk representation on the ticket.

Two interesting fights have developed, one in St. Louis and one in Kansas City. Phelps, who lives at Carthage, has stirred up a hornet's nest among St. Louis Democrats, by deliberately attempting to be chosen as a delegate from the Eleventh district, within the city of St. Louis. This is Harry Hawes' district, and the Jefferson Club president is greatly alarmed at Phelps' "gumbo" move.

Phelps has collected the support of Constable "Jimmy" Miles, Thomas E. Barrett and Phil Dwyer, all Butler men. They have promised to give Phelps votes enough to make his election as a district delegate certain.

Mr. Hawes, who terms Phelps' action a "base plot," says the plan of Mr. Barrett and his friends will be foiled. In the first place, Mr. Hawes asserts that Phelps has not a majority of the Eleventh district committee and that under the circumstances can obtain a majority.

"If by any means Phelps should be chosen," he says, "I will carry the fight to the foot of the national convention."

Mr. Hawes attributes the movement to the Butler influence, but other politicians are inclined to take a different view of the matter.

"Jim" Butler and Harry Hawes worked together at St. Joseph, remarked a local politician Monday, "and why they should fall out at this time nobody understands. As a matter of fact, they are both admitted if they are supporting Phelps are acting independent of Butler. It looks as if Mr. Hawes had adopted the tactics of certain other distinguished gentlemen on the Butler and pleading everything for his political life."

That the St. Louis delegation to the Joplin convention is split wide and will not vote as a unit on any question or any candidate is now admitted.

Notwithstanding the efforts of mutual friends to prevent a split, the division still exists between the Hawes and Butler forces, each desiring to direct the vote of the St. Louis delegation in convention.

Probably the most astonishing news relative to the Joplin convention comes from Kansas City, where, according to special dispatches, it is reported that Reed and Shannon factions have had a unit. At a caucus held Sunday afternoon, Mayor James A. Reed, who put up a stronger fight against the Joplin convention, agreed to support Frank P. Walsh for national committee against Senator Stone or any candidate.

In announcing the determination of the Reed men to join their recent opponent, Walsh, Charles Howell, Mayor Reed's law partner, said Stone had exhibited ingratitude when he had refused to help Reed in his campaign, notwithstanding Reed had stumped the state for Stone when William E. Wallace of Kansas City was a candidate for the Senate.

Four delegates-at-large will be selected at Joplin, and are twice the number of candidates who are proposed for the honor. Among them are Gov. Dockery, Senator Stone, Congressman Clark, Dockery, Mond and Vandiver, Representative Oliver of Cape Girardeau County, James J. Lutz, L. V. Stephens and Frank P. Walsh.

## CLOUDS NOT TO CLEAR SOON

More Rain, More Threatening Weather, Indicated by Signs Observed at Government Bureau.

No respite cloudy skies and threatened showers is promised for another 24 hours. The cool weather will yield to a warmer wave Tuesday.

The forecast: Showers this afternoon, followed by partly cloudy weather tonight and Tuesday; warmer weather Wednesday, with fresh easterly winds.

Rain symbols blackened on the weather map were overcast this morning, showers being reported in the Ohio valley, Tennessee, middle Atlantic states, Arkansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas. Heavy rains fell in Missouri, Illinois, Oklahoma and Texas.

Visitor Dragged by Car. While attempting to board a east-bound market street car at South street and Manchester avenue Mrs. Mary Hammond, aged 65, of Vandall, Ill., was dragged by the car and had her foot caught in the door.

Hammond was picked up by a policeman, and returned to the Schollenbeck home, accompanied by Mrs. Schollenbeck.

ST. LOUIS WOMAN  
SAFE IN LONDON FROM  
WILDS OF AFRICA

Mrs. William McMillan Entered Country Which No White Woman Had Before Ever Penetrated—Husband Still Exploring—Portland Place House Kept by Servants While Family Is In Dark Continent.

A cablegram received Monday from London announces the safe return there of Mrs. William McMillan of St. Louis from a journey through Abyssinia, never taken by a white woman before.

Mrs. McMillan left St. Louis with her husband about a year ago. He was starting on a dangerous trip of exploration into the wild country north of Lake Rudolf in Africa, between Abyssinia, the Sudan and British East Africa.

The party went up the Nile as far as navigation was possible and then followed the Sobat river and the northern arm, the Abyssinian plateau.

That was where the real work of Mr. McMillan's exploring party began, and beyond that Mrs. McMillan could not accompany her husband without embarrassing his progress.

She left him there, and accompanied by Sir John Harrington, British representative in Abyssinia, she went straight through the mountains to the northeast to Adis Abeba, capital of Abyssinia; saw King Menelik, continued to the Red Sea, coming out at the seaport Jibouti and crossing to Aden, returned to London by way of the Red and Mediterranean seas.

Her husband, when they separated, took a course to the south and no tidings have been received from him since.

St. Louis friends of Mrs. McMillan received tidings from her two weeks ago, when she reached the coast and again Monday, when she arrived in London. No white woman and but few white men have ever been through the country she passed through. There were half a dozen white men in her party and a large number of natives.

The home of the McMillans is in Portland place, near the city. The mother of William McMillan, Mrs. McMillan, is now at her summer home, Magnolia, Mass., and no other relatives are in the city.

The Associated Press cablegram from London follows:

LONDON, June 27.—Mrs. W. N. McMillan of St. Louis reached London today, after traversing Abyssinia at the head of an exploring party. This American is the first white woman to cross Emperor Menelik's country from the Red Sea to the Nile. The expedition organized by her husband in November, 1903, so far as the base of the Abyssinian hills.

Thence Mr. McMillan started for Lake Rudolf and his wife, who had the capital of Abyssinia, where she had a special audience with Emperor Menelik. Mrs. McMillan's caravan took four weeks to journey from Pokim to the capital. The American met with every courtesy from the Abyssinian chiefs while on her way, and although she traversed a country supposed to be inhabited by hostile tribes, saw no sign of unfriendliness. On the contrary, hundreds of supposed hostile tribesmen and formed a guard of honor for the caravan for miles along the river banks. Mrs. McMillan sails for New York July 8.

DIAMONDS YIELDED  
AT DOOR OF CELL

Cab Driver Gives Up Mrs. Garesche's Sunburst When Threatened With Imprisonment.

The refusal of a cabdriver to give up a \$1000 diamond sunburst belonging to Mrs. Vital W. Garesche of 1401 Goodfellow avenue, caused the driver to spend many uncomfortable hours and the rider to lose a possible reward.

Not until the driver, Charles G. Edberch, had listened to the persuasive eloquence of Acting Chief of Police Gillaspie in the shadow of the holdover did he relinquish possession of the valuable jewels. Edberch had the choice of a cell or a promise of \$1000 if he gave up the diamonds, and he chose the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Garesche were returning from the Southern Hotel to their home Sunday night when the sunburst was unfastened and dropped from Mrs. Garesche's corsage to the floor of the cab.

The loss was noted as soon as Mr. and Mrs. Garesche reached their home. An attempt was made to call the driver back but he had driven swiftly away.

They went at once to the Keyes & Marshall stable and reported the loss. The foreman said that Edberch, on his find, had told a story of making a rich find, but had refused to give details.

Edberch, upon being located by Mr. Gillaspie, still refused to give up the sunburst, saying he had a right to its possession until it had been properly identified. He said he was not satisfied with the description given him.

Mr. Gillaspie, without wasting further time, communicated with the Four Courts, two detectives were sent out and returned in a few minutes with Edberch.

When taken before the acting chief, Edberch declined to produce or give up the sunburst. Without wasting further time, Mr. Gillaspie ordered that he be thrown into a cell.

The prospect of an indefinite stay in the holdover room, and the fact that he had produced the diamonds without further delay, he was then released.

Mr. Garesche called at the Four Courts Monday morning and recovered the property. He is said to be in contact with Edberch had lost a handsome reward.

His phone beats racetrack ticker

From Observation Tower, Police Declare, Man Saw Race Results to News York.

On information received from New York, the police arrested Edward Smith, who they charge, had located himself and stationed at telephone at 435 Warren avenue. It is alleged that Smith was running a race-beating scheme which has points of originality about it.

From his Warren avenue watchtower, and by using a strong pair of fieldglasses, the police say, Smith saw the winner of each race and then telephoned the result to a confederate stationed at the other end of the wire in New York, thus beating the telegraph tickers by five or ten minutes.

The scheme is said to have worked all right on the first race. In the second race the winning horse led by only a nose and Smith named the wrong horse.

Smith was arrested by Officers Biggio and Lehnke on a charge of using fieldglasses to see the race, and taken to the Four Courts, where he furnished his own bail for his appearance at the City Hall police court. When the case was called Monday Smith did not answer.

RACE TRACK ENTRIES ON PAGE NINE.

PROBABLY NO BALL GAME

There will probably be no ball game at Sportsman's Park today.

NIGHTMARE RACE,  
DIVORCE FINISH

Woman Picked Losers in Her Sleep, but Judge Declared Husband a Winner.

"Come on, black horse! Come on, black horse!" By going to the races in her sleep and shouting encouragement to the horse she had backed, disturbing the rest of her husband, Mrs. Anna B. Humphreys lost him.

Shortly after her husband in 1901, William A. Humphreys discovered that the woman he had espoused cared more for the races than she did for him. She went to the track every day and backed her bets judiciously with all of his money that she could get, he says.

He gave her some money with which to pay a dentist for fixing her teeth. She let her teeth go, chancing toothache, and used the money to bet on the races.

Mr. Humphreys might have put up with her going to the races in the daytime if she had not gone to the races in the night in her dreams.

It was an unusual thing, he declares, for him to be awakened in the middle of the night by his wife leaving up in bed and shouting, "They're off."

It was all off with sleep until the race was finished unless he got a glass of water and soiled it in his face. A fine description of a race without paying for it. She would describe the scene all the way around to the stretch, and then would say, "The black horse is the one to back." He would urge on the black horse on which she had staked his good money, and that almost every night.

If he let her go on like that, he said, he would be a race talent for picking losers, and it was too much for Mr. Humphreys to lose sleep night after night listening to her.

He left her in a nightmare and later filed suit for divorce. She did not contest and the case was heard in Judge Kinsley's division Monday morning.

Mr. Humphreys told about the nightmare horse races of his wife and got his divorce.

Boxing Expert Takes Revolver From Robber and Marches Him to Jail.

Matthew J. Bayer, 19 years old, met a highwayman early Sunday morning, and was given a good chance to put his experience as a student of boxing into good play.

As Bayer was going to his home at 3211 Iowa street, early in the morning, a man suddenly appeared from an alley near the corner of Twelfth and Pine streets. He approached Bayer and asked for money with which to get food.

Bayer was about to give him 25 cents when he noticed the man's well-dressed appearance and began to parley. Suddenly the man drew a revolver and threatened to shoot Bayer if he did not give him his money. Bayer grappled with the man, took his revolver from him, and marched him to the Four Courts.

At the station the man gave his name as Arthur Moreland of 1440 Monroe street. A warrant was issued Monday, charging him with highway robbery. Bayer told the Post-Dispatch this story of his fight:

BY MATTHEW J. BAYER. When the man drew a revolver and said he would kill me if I did not give him my money, my first thought was to run. He was a big fellow, weighing nearly 180 pounds, and I only weigh 120, but I saw a chance to get the best of him and grasped his hand and took the gun from him. My hand was cut in the scuffle.

I had taken some boxing lessons when a student at the Christian Brothers College and had learned that the thing to do was to mix up like that was to get busy.

I took the man by the arm and, pointing the gun in his face, started to the Four Courts with him. When we got within a block of the station, I hit him in the face with my fist, and then he was as meek as a lamb.

SUICIDE AND  
DOUBLE MYSTERY  
ON RIVER BANK

Unidentified Man Dying From Self-Administered Carbolic Acid Near Jefferson Barracks Reported by Passer-By.

WHERE IS THE MAN  
WHO FOUND HIM?

Big Leather Pocketbook on Dead Man's Person Was Empty—Carried Letter Bearing the Name of H. A. Stegner, Glasgow, Mo.

The identity of a well-dressed man, about 35 years old, who was found dying at the edge of the Mississippi, about one mile north of Jefferson Barracks, Sunday afternoon, and who was reported by a passer-by to have been found by a man who reported finding him constitute a double mystery to be solved by the authorities of St. Louis County and the police of St. Louis.

The appearance of the suicide is such that the police believe he was a prosperous business man.

The entire absence of valuables or papers which might identify him leads them to believe that his body was robbed either as he lay dying or immediately after his death.

The suicide wore clothing of fine quality, his hands were gloved, his hair neatly trimmed, and everything about him showed evidence that he was a man of means. The old man who reported finding him was plainly dressed.

After pointing to the place where the suicide lay at the edge of the river, the old man told the soldier he would wait while the latter went to Jefferson Barracks for a physician. When the soldier and Dr. Fred W. Palmer, surgeon at the post, reached the place the man who had been lying on the bank was dead. The other had disappeared.

Pocketbook Was Empty. Beside the body lay an ounce bottle about one-fourth full of carbolic acid. The man's throat, a month was burned by acid and the physician said he had committed suicide.

The body was taken to Luxembourg, where the inquest was held Sunday evening and a verdict of suicide was returned. The body was buried in a private cemetery at Luxembourg at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

Justice Noerper who conducted the inquest says that a large leather pocketbook found in the pocket was empty when taken at the inquest.

It did not seem flattened, as if it had been empty some time, he says, but was puffed out as if its contents had recently been removed. No other article of value was found on the body.

"Thomas F. Roden" On His Card. On the man's person were also found a linen handkerchief bearing the initials "J. R." embroidered on one corner; a card bearing the name "Thomas F. Roden," and another card bearing the words: "Thomas F. Roden, candidate for county clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic convention May 7, 1904," and an envelope addressed to Fred Bishop, 112 W. Liberty street, Mexico, Mo.

The letter was mailed in Glasgow, Mo., May 15 and had the name of H. A. Stegner on one corner. A letter written in Chicago & Alton Railway stationery and addressed to G. L. Moore, Bloom (evidently name of town). This letter contained an estimate for building a sidewalk at Vandall, Ill., and was written at Louisiana, Mo., Jan. 15, 1904. It was unsigned.

The dead man was about 35 years old, was 5 feet 6 inches tall and weighed about 155 pounds. He had dark hair and a dark complexion. His face was somewhat round, smooth shaven, and his features were regular. He wore a suit of black clothes of good quality and evidently tailor-made. On his hands were gloves. He wore tan shoes. His general appearance was that of a business man.

He Tried to Drown, Too. The body, when found, was slightly bloated from contact with the water, but as the man was still alive when found, it is believed that he swallowed the acid, jumped into the river and then struggled to get back on the bank. Where he was found the water is shallow and there is little current.

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BERSCH PLEADS GUILTY;  
KELLY AND GUTKE WOULD  
TURN STATE'S EVIDENCE

Edmund Bersch, Former Delegate, Who Pleaded Guilty of Bribery

HONEYMOON NOTE  
NOT FOR HUBBY

Mrs. Dempsey's Letter to an Old Love in Evidence in a Suit.

A WIFE'S LETTER TO  
FORMER ADMIRER.

My Dearest Ross: I have been trying to get a chance to write to you ever since I arrived in St. Louis. I have been so busy that I have not had time to do so. I have been so busy that I have not had time to do so.

I am sure you appreciate that I am foolishly fond of my husband's charming (7) society. Have been tempted several times to run away and go home. How I wish I could recall the 6th day of October. Suppose I will have to grin and bear it. About the letters, Ross dear, it is best for you to burn them, as I have yours. I shall write you as often as I can. Be good and remember I am devotedly, LOUISE.

An ardent letter to her "Dearest Ross," her old sweetheart, was the cause of Mrs. Louise Dempsey being a defendant in a divorce suit brought by J. Marshall Dempsey in Division No. 3 of the Circuit Court, before Judge Horatio D. Wood, Monday.

The letter was written after the return of the wife from her honeymoon trip to W. Ross Donnell of Hillsboro, Mo. He and the bride of Dempsey had been sweethearts before she had met Dempsey, and the letter told of her regret that she had married Dempsey. She promised to write Ross as often as she could and advised him to burn her letters.

The couple were married in St. Louis at the Southern hotel on Oct. 6, 1903. The bride was at the time a representative of an eastern art company. They went South for a honeymoon trip and on their return went to live at Seaside, Mo. It was from there that the letter was sent to Ross. They separated Feb. 23, 1904, and Dempsey was subsequently successful in procuring the letter which she had written to Ross.

At the conclusion of the testimony Judge Wood announced from the bench that he would reserve his decision in the suit.

Monday was default day in six of the divisions of the Circuit Court and the number of divorce cases docketed broke all records. There were 124 of such uncontested cases in all, distributed as follows: Judge Sale 24, Judge Wood 25, Judge Fisher 21, Judge Douglas 15, Judge Elvins 19 and Judge 23.

There were, as usual, more women as plaintiffs than men, and there was the usual large number of witnesses and spectators in each room.

The highest previous record of default divorces cases set for trial on one day was 82. The large previous Monday was due to an effort to get as much of divorce legislation as possible out of the way before the different divisions adjourn for the summer recess.

Not all of the cases were heard. Some were continued to the October term of court.

French Merchants Coming. D. Well of Paris, who is connected with the French department of commerce, now in St. Louis, says that a delegation of 25 leading merchants and manufacturers from every part of France will arrive here tomorrow morning.

Conditions. Mr. W. men for their

First Admission of Guilt in Boodle Prosecutions Surprises Not Only State, but Attorney for Defense, Who Announces His Withdrawal From Case.

KELLY TO TELL WHO  
SENT HIM TO EUROPE

Edmund Bersch, former member of the House of Delegates, pleaded guilty this morning before Judge McDonald in the criminal division of the circuit court to the charge of bribery in accepting \$2000 of the \$45,000 boodle fund for his vote on the city lighting bill in 1900.

Sentence will be pronounced Friday. Bersch was called to trial with Charles A. Gutke, Charles F. Kelly and Charles J. Denny, all indicted on the same charge. Kelly and Gutke now desire to be state witnesses in further bribery investigation.

They want to go before the grand jury and tell things that have not been told by men who have turned state's evidence heretofore, in the hope of gaining leniency.

It is believed that they want to "turn up" somebody "higher up" who has "thrown them down."

The cases against the men, who are charged with bribery in connection with the passage of the city lighting bill, were continued this afternoon to July 12.

The continuance was granted with the understanding that they will on that date plead guilty unless in the meantime they are called as state's witnesses.

If they are called as state's witnesses in the meantime, it will be before the grand jury, as no cases are to be tried before that date in which they could be witnesses.

WHO SENT KELLY ABROAD? It is reliably stated that Kelly is willing to tell who put up the money which enabled him to make a journey to Europe and thus stay out of the way long enough to enable persons higher up to escape indictment because of the statute of limitations.

It remains to be seen whether officials of the state regard what the men are willing to tell as of sufficient value to justify them in calling the men as state's witnesses.

It is not clear that indictments could result from what Kelly might tell about persons who sent him to Europe, but it may be that the officials of the state will consider it worth while to get at the truth, anyway.

The agreement for the continuance to July 12 was reached between the morning and afternoon sessions of Judge McDonald's criminal division of the circuit court.

In the forenoon Judge McDonald perused them a longer continuance than to 5 o'clock. But during the interim Attorney Charles K. Krone, who took the cases of the men after Attorney Thomas J. Rowe had withdrawn, had a conference with Circuit Attorney Kelly, the result of which was the continuance.

The Denny case was taken to Judge Taylor's division, an error in assignment having been discovered. It is set for trial July 12.

BERSCH BOND INCREASED. Bersch, Kelly, Gutke, and Denny, charged with the same offense as that of which Julius Lehmann and Emil Hartmann were convicted and for which they are serving seven and six years in the penitentiary, the sentences having been recently affirmed by the supreme court, are charged with having been "in" on the division of the boodle fund at the "birthday party" given by Lehmann at his residence in North St. Louis Nov. 8, 1900, after the lighting bill passed.

It was the belief in the courtroom that the purpose of Bersch in pleading guilty was to secure clemency from the court and avoid the heavy sentences imposed upon Lehmann and Hartmann.

Immediately after Bersch pleaded guilty, his bondman, Ed Butler, was called into court and the amount of the old bond of \$10,000 increased to \$50,000, pending the sentence, to be imposed Friday.

Bersch's plea of guilty, the first occurrence of the sort during the boodle prosecutions, was entirely unexpected by his attorney or by Circuit Attorney Folk, who was in court to personally conduct the prosecution.

Soon after court opened at 9 o'clock, Bersch, looking haggard and worn, and with none of his former careless manner of speech or appearance, approached his attorney, Thomas J. Rowe, and began a whispered consultation with him. Rowe heard the subject of the plea, Bersch, while nervous, seemed determined, and Rowe was plainly surprised.

When Bersch finished talking, Mr. Rowe arose and announced to the court his withdrawal from the cases of Bersch, Gutke and Kelly, saying he still remained as attorney for Denny.

Gutke and Kelly, the latter with glasses shading his eyes, began a consultation with Attorney Krone, and Mr. Krone announced that he had taken their cases.

MAKES HIS OWN PLEA. There was no one to represent Bersch, whose case was first to be called. He was consulted again, and Rowe approached the judge's bench with him, attorney announced that Bersch would make a plea of guilty to the indictment. Bersch, in a low voice, uttered a statement, and Judge McDonald said that sentence would be suspended.



# \$15,000 DAMAGE!

THESE NEWS ITEMS TELL THE TALE!

## Broken Water Pipe Causes Heavy Loss.

A burst water pipe at the Globe store, 7th and Franklin avenue, yesterday flooded a part of the building and caused damage estimated at \$15,000. The salvage corps responded to an alarm and covered much of the stock with tarpaulins, preventing further loss. For nearly an hour the water flowed, and it was only stopped when the water department shut off connections supplying the structure.—Today's Globe-Democrat.

## Stock Damaged by Water.

A water pipe on the second floor of the Globe store, Seventh and Franklin avenue, broke yesterday afternoon, resulting in damage to the stock of from \$10,000 to \$15,000. Quick work by the Salvage Corps saved much of the stock from damage.—Today's Republic.

**Look! Watch! Wait!**  
WATER-DAMAGED STOCK WILL BE ALMOST GIVEN AWAY!

**BIG SALE!**  
WATCH THIS PAPER FOR FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENT!



## NEW PUBLICATIONS.

The true story of the Great Chicago Riots of 1894 is told by former President Grover Cleveland in the July number of McClure's Magazine.

Mr. Cleveland justifies his interference. He gives out for the first time the correspondence with late Governor Altgeld. McClure's for July also contains a discussion of the organization of employers, by Ray Stannard Baker. John La Farge writes about famous paintings of children. Clara Morris tells an interesting reminiscence of her private life. Henry Wallace Phillips contributes another "Red Saunders" story. Fiction by Myra Kelly, George Madden Martin, and others.

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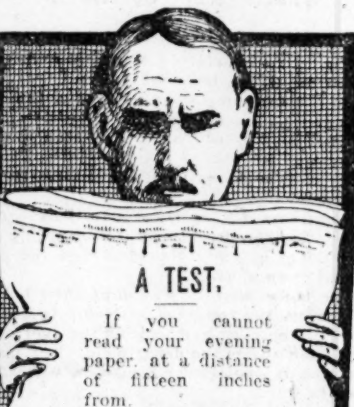


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## HELPED IN HIS OWN EXECUTION

Frank Burness, Who Had Slain Five Persons, Gladly Met Death in Electric Chair.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Frank Henry Burness, one of the most remarkable prisoners who ever occupied the death house at Sing Sing, went to his doom in the electric chair today.

With a smile on his face he walked from his cell, and seating himself in the chair assisted the men in adjusting the straps which were to bind him. Four electric shocks were given before he was pronounced dead.

The crime for which Burness was executed was the murder of George R. Townsend of the schooner Charles J. Buckley, last November, but he also had confessed to having murdered four other persons.

Townsend was killed during a dispute over wages amounting to about \$20, which Burness said was due him. When confronted of the latest crime, he announced that he was willing to waive the six weeks that the law requires to elapse between the time of sentence and the execution. Despite his objections, the case was carried to the court of appeals, and after a delay the sentence was affirmed. When informed that the end was to come at last, Burness expressed himself as pleased that there would be no more delay.

"I deserve to die," Burness told the prison officials, "and the sooner they put an end to my troubles the better. I've got an uncontrollable temper, and I released would only commit more violent crimes. I'll kill a man for five cents as quick as for anything else."

Burness was born in Butler, Pa., 41 years ago, and had followed the sea nearly all his life. He had refused religious consolation and there was no clergyman with him at the end.

**FALLS FROM TOBOGGAN SLIDE**  
John Vanderhyde Stood Up to Alay Companion's Fears and Is Badly Hurt.

John Vanderhyde, 28 years old, of 118A Russell avenue, tried to ride down a toboggan slide at Mannon's Park Sunday afternoon standing up and received serious injuries.

He had gone to the park with Miss Emma Primm of 118A Russell avenue. She was timid about going on the toboggan, but he prevailed on her to try it. As he started down she said she was afraid and wished she had not come.

Vanderhyde, to show her there was no danger, undertook to stand up. He lost his balance and fell to the ground. He was picked up unconscious and taken to the clinic of Dr. Clarence L. Baker at 641 Michigan avenue, who found that his collar bone was broken. He was then sent to his home, Miss Primm accompanying him.

**Washington Sleeper**  
Via Vandalla-Pennsylvania, 11:35 p. m. daily.

**GLOBE STORE FLOODED.**  
Bursting of Water Pipe Causes Damage to Stock Estimated at \$15,000.

The bursting of a water pipe at the Globe Store and Clothing Co.'s building Sunday flooded a part of the building and caused damage estimated at \$15,000. The water flowed for nearly an hour, while the salvage corps covered the stock with tarpaulins, preventing further loss.

The flow of water was stopped only when the water department shut off this connection supplying the building.

**Chicago by Water.**  
Steamers leave St. Louis every Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday 4 p. m. For information apply to Eagle Packet Co., foot of Vine street. Phones: Bell, Main 233; Kinloch, 1294 C.

**CORONER'S BOOKS ALL RIGHT.**  
The committee appointed to examine the books of Coroner McCracken of East St. Louis reported Monday morning that they had gone over the books carefully and had found no irregularity.

The investigation grew out of the fact that on June 6 Deputy Coroner McCracken of East St. Louis failed to record this bill on the books of the coroner's office and Dr. McCracken, not knowing of the former transaction, presented another bill. A committee composed of J. P. Adelberger, Geo. Bauer and Peter W. Hill was then appointed to investigate the books.

Your dentist will "for Goodness sake" recommend SANITOL TOOTH POWDER.

**Two Hurt in Saloon Brawl.**  
Edward Hunter is at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. East St. Louis, suffering from concussion of the brain, and Philip Trabant, a saloonkeeper of Edgewood, is under arrest as the result of a fight in Trabant's saloon Sunday night. It is charged that Hunter drew a knife and that Trabant knocked him down with a chair.

**Wedding Rings (Solid Gold).**  
Finest qualities, \$3 to \$20. Mermord & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust. Write for catalogue. Mailed free.

**American Ladies' Officers.**  
The American Ladies' Benevolent Society has elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, Caroline Decker; vice-president, Mrs. Elliott; record keeper, Mrs. Holbrook; finance keeper, Lizzie Lentz; treasurer, Mrs. Walters; chaplain, Mrs. Vinson; conductor, Mrs. Stegmeyer; sentinel, Mrs. Hubbard; pianist, Mrs. McHale.

**Marine Eye Remedy Cures Eyes; Makes Weak Eyes Strong; doesn't smart; it soothes.**

**Major Carries Buchanan.**  
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 27.—Revised figures of Saturday's primary show that J. M. Carriers carried the county by 57 majority over J. M. Sale for attorney-general.

**Through Sleeper Cleveland, O.**  
Via Vandalla-Pennsylvania, 12:45 noon daily.

**Luettig Sausage Factory Burned.**  
CHICAGO, June 27.—The Luettig sausage factory, which figured prominently in the origin of the fire in the city, was destroyed May 1, 1897, was burned yesterday. The origin of the fire is not known. Luettig died in the penitentiary.

**The Pittsburg Special.**  
8:15 p. m. daily via Vandalla-Pennsylvania, arriving Pittsburg 2:15 p. m. next day; this train runs via Merchants' bridge.

**Prisoner Had Chloroform.**  
On a charge of robbing his employer, N. H. Allen of Kirkwood, Will Hallahan has been arrested and placed in the Clay-ton Jail. Hallahan came to Kirkwood from Kansas three weeks ago. When he was searched at the jail two bottles of chloroform, a revolver and some medicine were found on his person.

**California Wine.**  
The finest in the world, shown in every variety in the California section, Agricultural building.

**Missing Youth Sought.**  
The police have been asked to help find Richard Smith, aged 14, 215 Gratiot street, who has been missing from home since Saturday. The boy was last seen at the home of Mrs. Ella Rodgers, 227 South Broadway, whom he told he was going to Chicago.

## COLD WATER GREETED ASKS DISSOLUTION OF STANDARD OIL CO.

State Convention Opens in Music Hall With Bountiful Showers in Progress Without.

Missouri Prohibitionists to the number of several scores began their state convention in Music Hall Monday morning and expect to finish their work and adjourn Monday night.

The delegates to the convention, which will nominate a state ticket, commented freely during the morning on the "cold water" welcome which the clouds over St. Louis had extended to them, but refused to be satisfied with it.

The morning session of the convention was devoted to the work of preliminary organization. In the afternoon the members got to the important work of the meeting.

Monday evening T. R. Carskadon of West Virginia, who is very prominent in the ranks of the party at the national convention, will address the convention. Another of the speakers in the evening will be Dr. W. E. Palmer, editor of the St. Louis Christian Advocate.

**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup** is the best of all remedies for children teething. 25c.

**Unresented.**  
When the public meeting laughed. The genius broke down and went daunted. But nothing resting. Kept right on inventing. Airships and other odd crazed.

**SIXTH and SEVENTH STS.**

**Baris**  
—ST. LOUIS, MO.—

**OLIVE and LOCUST STS.**

**A Sale of Veilings That Will Appeal to You.**

We bought from one of America's largest millinery houses their entire stock of "Drape" or "Made" Veils, 1½ and 2-yard lengths, in all popular colors, such as blue, brown, black, white, heliotrope, white with colored borders, colors with white striped borders, etc. There are veils in this lot that sold at wholesale as high as \$2.00 each; however, most of them would retail in the regular way at \$1.25 each. They are everyone fresh, stylish and of excellent quality; no old patterns in the lot; the prices are ridiculously low..... 59c, 75c and \$1.00

**A Sale of Ladies' 50c Washable Stocks at 15c Each.**

A large purchase of Ladies' Washable Neckwear enables us to quote this extraordinary price. The bargains would be unusual at any time of the year, but now, right in the height of the season, they are absolutely unprecedented.

Linen Stocks, embroidered in white, or colors, Persian embroidered stocks and Swiss embroidered turn-overs, all made to sell at 50c each, special tomorrow in this great sale..... 15c

(Special Counter on First Floor, at Seventh Street.)

## TUESDAY'S EXTRA SPECIALS

**Schaper Bros.**  
ST. LOUIS CHEAPEST STORE.  
BROADWAY and FRANKLIN AVE.

**36 x 36 Bleached Pillow Cases**—worth 10c—Tuesday 5c  
**Dark and light-colored Lawns**, worth 10c, Tuesday 5c  
**Remnants of light-colored Dress Lawns**, regular 75c; will sell Tuesday for 3½c  
**2000 yards of light-colored Shirting**, with dark figures, 50c value; on sale Tuesday, per yard, 4c  
**Children's Shoes**—500 pairs of Children's Shoes—good quality, of leather, black only, all sizes, regular value 98c—as a special from 8 to 10 o'clock, 48c  
**White Dress Goods**—3000 yards white duck, white vesting, white lawn, sheer India linen and all this season's latest designs in white dress goods, some in this lot worth 35c—on sale Tuesday, per yard, 9c  
**5c Toilet Paper**, 1½c  
**Good perforated Toilet Paper**, slightly soiled, usually sold at 8c per roll, 1½c  
**\$4 Canvas Covered Trunk**, \$1.98  
**Canvas covered Trunk**, with hardware, plate and strong lock, on sale Tuesday, \$1.98  
**Galvanized Poultry Wire**, foot, ½c  
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**UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY BARGAINS.**  
**INFANTS' HOSE AND SOCKS**—In plain and lace stripes, black and white, worth up to 25c, 9c  
**50c HOSE**—Ladies' fine imported lace hose, fast black; the usual 33c  
**\$2.00 HOSE**—Ladies' extra fine imported SILK LACE HOSE, a beautiful assortment of patterns, for... 69c  
**PANTS.**  
Children's knitted lace trimmed pants, Tuesday, while they last, at... 5c  
**VESTS.**  
Ladies' extra fine crepe lace, lace thread vest, the 25c kind, 11c  
Boys' Underwear, the 25c kind, Tuesday, at... 15c

**SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.**  
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**CHRISTIAN COLLEGE FOR WOMEN**  
44th Year.  
New Dormitory, New Auditorium, New Music Hall, Academic Degrees, Schools of Music, Art, Oratory and Domestic Science. An elegant College Home. Excludes Patronage. For Catalogue, address Mrs. W. T. Moore, President, Columbia, Mo.

## THE MAY CO.'S FIRST CLEARANCE SALE

Started this morning in a most enthusiastic and gratifying manner. Despite the unpleasantness of the weather, our big store was crowded up to going to press today. Shrewd and saving shoppers thronged our aisles on every floor. They wisely realized the opportunities that this, our very first clearance sale, would bring to them.

As fast as any one lot is sold, others equally as good take their place—no one shall be disappointed.

Items advertised in yesterday's paper will hold good for tomorrow, Tuesday. Be down here early and share in this surprising scattering of strictly seasonable, stylish and high-character merchandise of every description.

**THE MAY CO.**  
"THE NAME THAT MEANS MUCH FOR ST. LOUIS."  
WASHINGTON AV. AND SIXTH ST.

**COOL AND COMFORTABLE. BANFF IN THE CANADIAN ROCKIES**

Reached by the Double Daily Transcontinental Train Service of the Canadian Pacific Railway  
For Further Particulars Apply to  
C. E. BENJAMIN, Trav. Passenger Agent, 315 Chestnut Street, ST. LOUIS.  
A. C. SHAW, G. A. P. D., 228 S. Clark Street, CHICAGO.

**15 STYLES RUSSET OXFORDS**  
Just now the most popular footwear is Russet—and the most popular Russet sets are Regal. Regal Russet Oxfords bear the stamp of individuality that is found only in high-priced custom models.  
OTHER LEATHERS: 50 STYLES—KING CALF VIOLET PATENT OXFORDS  
**REGAL** ALWAYS \$3.50  
ST. LOUIS STORE - 618 OLIVE ST.

**FOUR DAILY TRAINS TO BUFFALO**

LEAVE Union Station 9:00 A. M. 12:30 P. M. 9:05 P. M. 11:32 P. M.  
LEAVE WORLD'S FAIR STATION 9:14 A. M. 12:44 P. M. 9:19 P. M. 11:46 P. M.  
ARRIVE Buffalo 4:05 A. M. 7:35 A. M. 7:00 P. M. 7:50 P. M.

Tickets are sold, baggage checked and sleeping-car reservations made at World's Fair Station.

City Ticket Office, Eighth and Olive Streets.



# TICKET PLANS OF BIG CONVENTION

**Business Men's League Will Have Two Thousand to Distribute Among Subscribers.**

It has been ascertained that there will be 20,000 seats in the Democratic national convention to be held in St. Louis next week. Seats in the convention hall may be obtained only through the Business Men's League. Members of the national committee or from the delegates, each of the latter having three seats at his disposal. The alternates will have no seats except the ones they occupy. There will be no seats sold. The distribution of seats under control of the committee will take place at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening, July 3, at the Hotel Jefferson. The seats will be distributed under the personal supervision of Charles A. Walsh of Iowa, secretary of the national committee. The first allotment of seats will be made to the delegates and alternates. This will take 200 seats, and possibly 302, if delegates from Porto Rico and the Philippines are seated. The national committee will also have the distribution of 604 seats in the guest section arena.

## Boxes Are Allotted.

There are 87 boxes, seating 420. The assignment of these has already been made. Each member of the national committee gets one, President Francis three, Joe Dockery one, Mayor Wells one, and the president of the Board of Lady Managers one. The others are awarded to distinguished Democrats and officials.

There will be two divisions of press representatives—those actively engaged in reporting the convention and the representatives of the weekly press, who will be merely onlookers. There are 702 seats assigned to the press.

In the guest gallery there are 288 seats. Each delegate has three seats aside from his own. The 2000 assigned to the Business Men's League are scattered in different parts of the hall. The best seats at the disposal of the committee on arrangements are on the platform. There are 434 of these, and all will be given to men of prominence—governors, senators, members of congress, ex-senators and mayors of large cities.

The Business Men's League will give out the tickets at its disposal to business men, and especially attention will be given to those who subscribed to the fund which made it possible to hold the convention in St. Louis. Each guest ticket will contain eight coupons, with the belief that this will cover all the seasons of the convention.

## INAUGURATION JULY FOURTH

**Porto Ricans Are Planning for Big Celebration When Gov. Winthrop Takes Office.**

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN JUAN P. R., June 27.—Breckman Winthrop will arrive here June 30 and be inaugurated July 4 as governor of Porto Rico to succeed William H. Hunt.

The coming Independence day will be a memorable one here. Committees have been appointed to insure plentiful decorations, a great parade, athletic sports, fireworks and a big musical ball in the Old Palace, recently rechristened the "Executive House."

Mr. Winthrop will make his first formal appearance at a dinner at the Union club on Saturday evening, July 2, in honor of the retiring governor.

Ex-Gov. Hunt's best efforts have failed to reconcile warring political factions and he has been blamed for many things not his fault.

The Democratic delegates failed to attend the St. Louis convention today.

**Things That Happened to Smith.**

Some entertaining reminiscences of John Thomas Smith, author of the "Book for a Rainy Day," (1785-1829), are recalled by P. F. Smith, who has seen and heard much that is interesting. In a friend's biographical album, which he could boast of "seven events, some of which great men would be proud of." Here are six of the "seven events."

"I was patted on the head by Dr. Johnson; "I have frequently held the 'Golden Rule' spectacles; "I was a pint of porter with an elephant; "I saved Lady Hamilton from falling when the melancholy news arrived of Lord Nelson's death; "Three times I conversed with King George the Third; "And was shot up in a room with Mr. Keen's lion."

# Chronic Sores Eating Ulcers

**A Constant Drain Upon the System.**

Nothing is a source of so much trouble as an old sore or ulcer, particularly when located upon the lower extremities where the circulation is weak and sluggish. A gangrenous eating ulcer upon the leg is a frightful sight, and as the poison burrows deeper and deeper into the tissues beneath and the sore continues to spread, one can almost see the flesh melting away and feel the strength going out with the sickening discharges. Great running sores and deep offensive ulcers often develop from a simple boil, swollen gland, bruise or pimple, and are a threatening danger always, because while all such sores are not cancerous, a great many are, and this should make you suspicious of all chronic, slow-healing ulcers and sores, particularly if cancer runs in your family. Face sores are common and cause the greatest annoyance because they are so persistent and unsightly and detract so much from one's personal appearance. Middle aged and old people and those whose blood is contaminated and tainted with the germs and poison of malaria or some previous sickness, are the chief sufferers from chronic sores and ulcers. While the blood remains in an unhealthy polluted condition, healing is impossible, and the sore will continue to grow and spread in spite of washes and salves or any superficial or surface treatment, for the sore is the outward sign of some constitutional disorder, a bad condition of the blood and system, which local remedies cannot cure. A blood purifier and tonic is what you need—something to cleanse the blood, restore its lost properties, quicken the circulation and invigorate the constitution, and S. S. S. is just such a remedy. It counteracts and removes from the blood all the impurities and poisons, and gradually builds up the entire system; and when the blood has been purified the healing process begins and the ulcer or sore is soon entirely gone. S. S. S. contains no mineral or poisonous drugs of any description, but is guaranteed a purely vegetable remedy, a blood purifier and tonic combined and a safe and permanent cure for chronic sores and ulcers. If you have a slow-healing sore of any kind, external or internal, write us about it, and our physicians will advise you without charge. Book on "The Blood and Its Diseases" free.

**JOHN W. FUNDIS, Care Schnulbach Brewing Co.**

**Wheeler, W. Va., May 28, 1903.**

Some years ago while at work I fell over a truck and severely injured both of my shins. My blood became poisoned as a result, and the doctor told me I would have running sores for life, and that if they closed up the result would be fatal. Under this discouraging report I left off their treatment and resorted to the use of S. S. S. Its effect was prompt and gratifying. It took only a short while for the medicine to cure up the sores, and I am not dead as the doctor intimated I would be, neither have the sores ever broken out again, and some 19 years have elapsed since what I have described occurred.

**THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.**

# SIXTEEN DAYS IN AUTO TO SEE FAIR

**Vanguard of What Is Expected to Be a Long Procession Reaches St. Louis.**

In the van of the hundreds of automobiles which are to tour to the Fair from the East in August, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilson of New York have arrived in St. Louis.

They came over the longest route mapped out by the American Automobile Club for the August tour. This route is 1800 miles. They made it in 16 days, reaching St. Louis at 2:35 Sunday afternoon.

The route brought them by way of Kingston, Binghamton and Buffalo, N. Y., Cleveland, O., and Chicago and Springfield, Ill. Had roads were encountered between Chicago and St. Louis, but they had no breakdown or other accident, used only one set of tires, which are still serviceable, and encountered few hostile inhabitants.

They traveled in a 2-horsepower touring car, driven by Chauffeur Dugand. They carried only such baggage, tools and necessities as were indispensable, and secured lodging at the close of each day's travel at places arranged for by representatives of the American Automobile Club.

They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ward of 5627 Van Vleet avenue and see the Fair. They would like to go back to New York in their auto, but for lack of time to do so, they will return by train.

## MONDAY'S PROGRAM AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

11 a. m. to 12 m.—Concert, First United States Cavalry Band, government building.

11:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.—Organ recital, E. M. Bowman, Festival hall.

2 to 3 p. m.—Concert, Banda Rossa, Plaza St. Louis.

2 to 3 p. m.—Concert, Constabulary Band, Philippine grounds.

2:30 to 4:30 p. m.—Concert, Boston band, Machinery gardens.

3 to 5 p. m.—Domestic science classes, Palace of Education.

4 to 5 p. m.—Vocal concert, Missouri building.

4:30 to 6 p. m.—Concert, First United Cavalry band, government building.

5:30 to 6:30 p. m.—Meeting of directors N. E. A., Missouri building.

6 to 7:30 p. m.—Concert, Well's band, Plaza St. Louis.

7:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Concert, Boston band, Machinery gardens.

8 to 11 p. m.—Dedication reception, Cuban pavilion.

8:15 to 11:30 p. m.—Concert, Exposition orchestra, Tyrolean Alps.

8 to 11 p. m.—Concert, Well's band, Cuban pavilion.

## DAILY DRILL PROGRAM OF PHILIPPINE SCOUTS.

Drill call (except Sunday) 6:55 a. m. Assembly 7:00 a. m.

Recall from drill 7:30 a. m. Guard mounting, first call 8:45 a. m.

Assembly 8:50 a. m. Adjutant's call 9:00 a. m.

Drill call (except Sunday) 9:25 a. m. Assembly 9:30 a. m.

Recall from drill 10:30 a. m. First call for parade (except Sunday) 10:45 a. m.

Assembly 11:00 a. m. Adjutant's call 11:10 a. m.

Drill and calisthenics, musketeer exercise and other athletic training.

Battalion drill will be held Thursdays at 9 a. m.

Band concerts Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at band pavilion at 2 p. m.

# SHIELDS LOVER AT CRONJE DEPENDENCE DAY

**Mary Deutchmann Is Fined on Eight Charges of Shoplifting After Pleading Guilty.**

Mary Deutchmann pleaded guilty to eight charges of petit larceny in the court of criminal correction Monday morning, and after being fined \$8 on each charge, she took the stand and declared that her sweetheart, Frank Richardson, arrested with her on a point charge of shoplifting, was innocent.

Her testimony secured Richardson's acquittal.

Both defendants and Pearl Reynolds were arrested two weeks ago charged with taking goods from the store in which the girls were employed.

The Deutchmann girl lived in the same home as the other girls, and gave him articles she stole. After she had been allowed to plead guilty Monday it was expected that she would testify against Richardson. Instead, she said he was perfectly innocent, and that she had never told him any of the articles she stole him.

The Reynolds girl had not yet been called. The Deutchmann girl employed novelties in the shoplifting line in her peculiarities. She managed to carry away from the store without detection suits of clothing and other bulky goods by stuffing them in extra large suitcases.

She further transformed her nether garments into trunk-like receptacles by sewing large safety pins inside and herself to which she would attach pairs of trousers and other articles of considerable size and weight.

**Pointon's Wound Was Fatal.**

David Pointon, 45 years old, died at the City Hospital Sunday from two bullet wounds in the head. Pointon was himself a week ago in the Gano asylum, having been despondent on account of the death of his wife a short time before he has been conscious only at intervals since the shooting.

## GORMAN ENGAGES TEN MORE ROOMS

**Significant Move on Part of Maryland Senator With Delegation Already Provided For.**

Senator Arthur Pue Gorman of Maryland proposes to be a man of influence in the Democratic national convention, whether or not he may succeed in being a strong candidate for the nomination.

This fact became decidedly apparent Monday morning, when it was learned that, in addition to a large suite of rooms in the Southern Hotel, he or his friends had engaged another large suite in the St. James Hotel, across Broadway from the Southern, and in the midst of several state delegations.

There are only 16 delegates in the Maryland contingent, which is unreservedly for Senator Gorman for whatever he wants, and for these sixteen delegates sixteen excellent rooms in the Southern, at a stated cost of \$1000 a day, were engaged some time ago. Even this was not considered enough room for them, however, and ten other rooms have been engaged in the St. James. These are on the parlor floor.

Walker, who is a man in the employ of a supply company in Belleville, was finishing the wiring of the new dance hall at Edgewater, seven miles west of Belleville, when he came in contact with a five foot man from the ladder and he fell unconscious to the floor, fracturing his collar bone and left arm.

Traband rushed to his aid and began to work over him, but he lay motionless and unconscious.

Hunters, who were in the crowd, objected to the line of treatment, and in none too choice terms, informed Traband of his dissatisfaction. Traband replied in kind, when Hunters drew a knife and rushed at the deputy sheriff.

He was overpowered by Traband and bystanders, spaced under arrest and taken to Belleville and a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

**It has cured diarrhea for 18 years.** Wakefield's Blackberry Balsam.

## TWO THRASHED AND FINED.

**Young Woman's Escort Proves the Theory of Chivalry's Renaissance.**

Chivalry is not dead for John Toulster, who lives at 236 Morgan street, demonstrated it Sunday night when his pretty companion, Olga Martina, was annoyed and insulted by two youths.

Walking with Olga Martina were seeking lunch after a walk in West End Heights when they encountered two young men, who uttered rude words and exhibited an unchivalrous demeanor toward the young lady.

Under way on the act of administering a thorough thrashing upon the offenders, who were then arrested and taken to the police station.

Wigton told Judge Tracy in the City Hall Police Court Monday morning that he was living at the Crutcher Endeavor hotel, 1001 Washington street, and that he was a member of the Crutcher Endeavor.

At the conclusion of his address he was taken to the Crutcher Endeavor hotel, where he was held in custody.

**CURE SICK HEADACHE.**

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

**CARTERS' PILLER.**

**WIFE IS CRUELLY DECEIVED**

**Says Husband Declared He Was an Electrician, When He Merely Ran a Freight Elevator.**

Mrs. Margaret Bell of 4157 West Bell place was the belle of the day in Judge Kinsley's court Monday.

She told the court that Arthur Bell, to very pretty.

# NEWS IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

**BOOKER EXPECTED TO BE REINSTATED**

**Jockey Who Piloted Colonial Girl to \$50,000 Victory, Committed Nominal Offense.**

One of the most interesting developments of the \$50,000 World's Fair handicap was the decision of Bookmaker Clem Creveling, who made a future book on the big race, to declare off bets made with him and return all money placed in his book. When seen at a well-known downtown cafe this morning Mr. Creveling stated that he had received very little play on the race and that his decision in declaring off bets and returning all money invested with him had caused no complaint among his patrons.

When asked regarding the report that Sheriff Ed Hencken of St. Louis County had made a bet in his book on the winner, Colonial Girl, Mr. Creveling said: "Sheriff Hencken telephoned to my office about three weeks ago that he wanted to wager \$25 straight, \$5 for place and \$25 to show on Colonial Girl. I accepted the bet and informed the Sheriff that he was 'on' and Mr. Hencken said that he would settle with me by mail, and he came to the city. I waited a week for him to make good and then went out to Clayton with a friend and asked him about the matter. Sheriff Hencken said he would settle in a day or so, but I never heard from him again."

"The rules governing future books provide that no bets go unless the money is paid up five days before the race is run. I notified Sheriff Hencken of this fact in a letter, and, receiving no response from him, declared his bet off a week before the race was run. He has no grounds for complaining, and I think he is too good a sportsman to kick in a case of this kind. Some enemy of mine must be trying to injure me by misrepresenting the facts in the case."

"I don't think I can think of any other twist the matter around and attempt to injure me in any way."

Mr. Creveling is now making book at the Union racetrack. He is one of the best-known characters in the city, having acted in various official capacities on the big western tracks.

Brockmiller, a well-known bookmaker, made a small future book on the big race, and he is now making book at the Union racetrack. He is one of the best-known characters in the city, having acted in various official capacities on the big western tracks.

He says every brewer in town had a bet with him on the mare. Brockmiller says he laid as high as 20 to 1 on Colonial Girl.

"Cap" Troll was around town kicking like a football player this morning. Troll wagered \$100 on Colonial Girl in one of the local future books and he looked declared the bet off. Troll told Brockmiller he had "split" his \$100 bet on Colonial Girl and three weeks, setting 20 and 10 to 1 for his money.

"Why didn't you make the bet with me?" said Brockmiller.

"I wish I had," replied Troll, sorrowfully.

Sleeper to Roanoke, Va., 8:44 a. m. daily. Sleeper to Norfolk, Va., 12:45 noon, daily. Via Vandalia-Pennsylvania-N. & W. lines.

## SAYS WIFE TAPPED HIS TILL.

**Hardware Merchant Is Granted a Divorce From His Spouse.**

George Young of 2621 Franklin avenue told Judge Kinsley in the Circuit Court Monday that his wife, Jennie, to whom he was married Sept. 3, 1889, and from whom he sought a divorce, was a collector of money.

He said he was going to the till at his hardware store and taking out as much money as he wanted, going away for days at a time. He finally gave her \$500 and \$400 worth of furniture, and she went away for good. He was granted a divorce.

Judge Sale Monday granted divorces to Julia Mae Moore and Charles W. Rogers to Mamie Cook O'Brien from Charles H. O'Brien, and to Anna Mabel Alken from James V. Alken. Description and amount were given.

No torture complaints to that of a rheumatism. Prescription No. 281 by Elmer A. Amend quickest relief of all.

## One Threw Kisses, Other Pepper.

On the charge that she threw pepper in the eyes of Mrs. Cella Miller after the late Mrs. Miller's death, Mrs. Miller was arrested by Mrs. Annie Coleman's house and thrown into the East St. Louis Monday morning. Both Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Miller live on Railroad avenue, East St. Louis.

Gold Heels.

Run Down.

Though it proved the lion-heart of one great race, the World's Fair handicap was the "swan-song" of another. Off with the leaders, Gold Heels, the once mighty, the greatest racehorse of his year, was a miserable last lengths behind the nearest horse at the finish.

His spirit was as willing as ever, but his legs were not. He carried him around the course as in the days when the son of the Bard was the theme of every race track in the country.

He has been the barrier snap before his first race, and is now on his way back to the bluegrass country to spend his old age in quiet. His owner, T. P. Hayes, has him shipped to his farm in Kentucky last night.

**Hermis Back to New York.**

Hermis, the king, also departed from the Fair Grounds Saturday. E. R. Thomas and his party left for New York Sunday evening. The \$2000 which Hermis won in the race, Mrs. Thomas presented to Hermis' trainer, Will Shields, and his stable at Larchmont, N. Y.

The Respass and Hildreth stables will probably return to Chicago, though their plans have not yet been definitely announced. The other stables are settling into the old routine, and by Monday evening the World's Fair handicap will only be a topic for conversation at the Fair Grounds.

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# BOOKER CREVLING CALLS OFF BETS

**Maker of Future Book Says He Returns Money Because of Little Play.**

One of the most interesting developments of the \$50,000 World's Fair handicap was the decision of Bookmaker Clem Creveling, who made a future book on the big race, to declare off bets made with him and return all money placed in his book. When seen at a well-known downtown cafe this morning Mr. Creveling stated that he had received very little play on the race and that his decision in declaring off bets and returning all money invested with him had caused no complaint among his patrons.

When asked regarding the report that Sheriff Ed Hencken of St. Louis County had made a bet in his book on the winner, Colonial Girl, Mr. Creveling said: "Sheriff Hencken telephoned to my office about three weeks ago that he wanted to wager \$25 straight, \$5 for place and \$25 to show on Colonial Girl. I accepted the bet and informed the Sheriff that he was 'on' and Mr. Hencken said that he would settle with me by mail, and he came to the city. I waited a week for him to make good and then went out to Clayton with a friend and asked him about the matter. Sheriff Hencken said he would settle in a day or so, but I never heard from him again."

"The rules governing future books provide that no bets go unless the money is paid up five days before the race is run. I notified Sheriff Hencken of this fact in a letter, and, receiving no response from him, declared his bet off a week before the race was run. He has no grounds for complaining, and I think he is too good a sportsman to kick in a case of this kind. Some enemy of mine must be trying to injure me by misrepresenting the facts in the case."

"I don't think I can think of any other twist the matter around and attempt to injure me in any way."

Mr. Creveling is now making book at the Union racetrack. He is one of the best-known characters in the city, having acted in various official capacities on the big western tracks.

Brockmiller, a well-known bookmaker, made a small future book on the big race, and he is now making book at the Union racetrack. He is one of the best-known characters in the city, having acted in various official capacities on the big western tracks.

He says every brewer in town had a bet with him on the mare. Brockmiller says he laid as high as 20 to 1 on Colonial Girl.

"Cap" Troll was around town kicking like a football player this morning. Troll wagered \$100 on Colonial Girl in one of the local future books and he looked declared the bet off. Troll told Brockmiller he had "split" his \$100 bet on Colonial Girl and three weeks, setting 20 and 10 to 1 for his money.

"Why didn't you make the bet with me?" said Brockmiller.

"I wish I had," replied Troll, sorrowfully.

Sleeper to Roanoke, Va., 8:44 a. m. daily. Sleeper to Norfolk, Va., 12:45 noon, daily. Via Vandalia-Pennsylvania-N. & W. lines.

## SAYS WIFE TAPPED HIS TILL.

**Hardware Merchant Is Granted a Divorce From His Spouse.**

George Young of 2621 Franklin avenue told Judge Kinsley in the Circuit Court Monday that his wife, Jennie, to whom he was married Sept. 3, 1889, and from whom he sought a divorce, was a collector of money.

He said he was going to the till at his hardware store and taking out as much money as he wanted, going away for days at a time. He finally gave her \$500 and \$400 worth of furniture, and she went away for good. He was granted a divorce.

Judge Sale Monday granted divorces to Julia Mae Moore and Charles W. Rogers to Mamie Cook O'Brien from Charles H. O'Brien, and to Anna Mabel Alken from James V. Alken. Description and amount were given.

No torture complaints to that of a rheumatism. Prescription No. 281 by Elmer A. Amend quickest relief of all.

## One Threw Kisses, Other Pepper.

On the charge that she threw pepper in the eyes of Mrs. Cella Miller after the late Mrs. Miller's death, Mrs. Miller was arrested by Mrs. Annie Coleman's house and thrown into the East St. Louis Monday morning. Both Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Miller live on Railroad avenue, East St. Louis.

Gold Heels.

Run Down.

Though it proved the lion-heart of one great race, the World's Fair handicap was the "swan-song" of another. Off with the leaders, Gold Heels, the once mighty, the greatest racehorse of his year, was a miserable last lengths behind the nearest horse at the finish.

His spirit was as willing as ever, but his legs were not. He carried him around the course as in the days when the son of the Bard was the theme of every race track in the country.

He has been the barrier snap before his first race, and is now on his way back to the bluegrass country to spend his old age in quiet. His owner, T. P. Hayes, has him shipped to his farm in Kentucky last night.

**Hermis Back to New York.**

Hermis, the king, also departed from the Fair Grounds Saturday. E. R. Thomas and his party left for New York Sunday evening. The \$2000 which Hermis won in the race, Mrs. Thomas presented to Hermis' trainer, Will Shields, and his stable at Larchmont, N. Y.

The Respass and Hildreth stables will probably return to Chicago, though their plans have not yet been definitely announced. The other stables are settling into the old routine, and by Monday evening the World's Fair handicap will only be a topic for conversation at the Fair Grounds.

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**AFFIDAVIT OF CIRCULATION**  
**ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH.**  
STATE OF MISSOURI, CITY OF ST. LOUIS, ss.  
Personally appeared before me, a notary public in and for the city of St. Louis, Mo., W. C. Steigers, Business Manager of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, who deposes and says that the regular editions of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch for the last four months (January, February, March and April, 1904), after deducting all copies returned by newsboys and copies left over, spoiled in printing and unaccounted for, averaged:  
DAILY ONLY.....143,155  
SUNDAY ONLY.....230,081  
IN THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AND SUBURBS ONLY, THE DAILY DISTRIBUTION AVERAGE FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH AND APRIL WAS 124,547.  
W. C. STEIGERS, Business Manager.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of May, 1904.  
HARRY M. DUHRING.  
My term expires Aug. 14, 1905.

**VISIT THE POST-DISPATCH.**  
VISITORS TO ST. LOUIS ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO INSPECT THE POST-DISPATCH UP-TO-DATE PLANT AT WORK PRINTING, ILLUSTRATING AND DISTRIBUTING NEWSPAPERS. THE BEST HOURS FOR INSPECTION ARE BETWEEN 2 AND 5 P. M. DAILY AND EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT WHEN THE PRESSES ARE RUNNING.

The Hoo Hoo Phenix will begin to rise today.  
Saloon killings are not confined to the city. There has just been a dramsop murder in the county.  
The bandits of Morocco are a sure anti-fat. Their prisoners are sent back much thinner than before the capture.  
The small boy is not only celebrating the Fourth weeks in advance, but he is burning numerous sheds along the alleys.  
The greatest Exposition should naturally produce the greatest Fourth of July. Our national day this year can be celebrated with us by all nations.

**FOR DEMOCRATIC VICTORY.**  
The Democratic national convention will be held in this city next week. The candidates and the platform of the Republican party have stimulated the keenest interest in the proceedings of the Democratic convention. Everywhere independent voters and aggrieved Republicans are asking "What are the Democrats going to do?"  
Temporarily that is the most important question in American politics. Is the Democratic party to continue in delirium or will it become sane and useful again?  
The Post-Dispatch believes an affirmative answer can be given to the latter question. A majority of the delegates already selected are for safeness and sanity. They know that Mr. Roosevelt's elements of strength are not less conspicuous than his elements of weakness. They know that he will make a brilliant campaign and they realize that it would be the supreme achievement of folly for the Democrats to enter the contest weak where their opponents are strong.

There is a striking parallel between the political situation now and in 1892, when Mr. Cleveland was elected by the independent voters and the dissatisfied Republicans. The revolt against Mr. Roosevelt in his own party is not unlike the revolt against Mr. Harrison.

But no Democratic candidate can be elected with merely the support of the men who voted for Mr. Bryan in 1900. A successful candidate must appeal to elements that distrust Mr. Roosevelt and prefer a candidate who is the President's antipodes in temperament.

It is needless to say that Judge Parker is peculiarly the candidate to make this appeal, and this conspicuous availability affords the strongest assurance of his nomination.  
Intelligent Democrats in the national convention must necessarily ask themselves: "Who stands the best chance of defeating Roosevelt?" The question answers itself, and to assume that the convention will refuse to take advantage of its great opportunity is to assume that the Democratic party is determined, if possible, to destroy its excuse for existing.

This reasoning applies with especial force to Missouri Democrats, who have yet to indicate their choice and define their position. The Joplin convention has the opportunity to do a great service for the Democratic party of the state and nation and for the people, by ranging the Democracy of Missouri in line with the great majority of Democrats who are striving to place the party in position to meet and overcome the menacing Roosevelt forces.

Only well sheltered monopolies could charge American consumers 40 per cent more than they accept from foreigners.

**FOUR OBSTACLES.**  
The editor of "The Open Court," a blameless publication devoted to high thinking and probably to plain living complaints that books mailed to him prepaid from foreign countries are seized by the express companies, which make him pay charges as for express matter. When he applied to the postoffice for redress the answer was: "The department can afford you no relief."

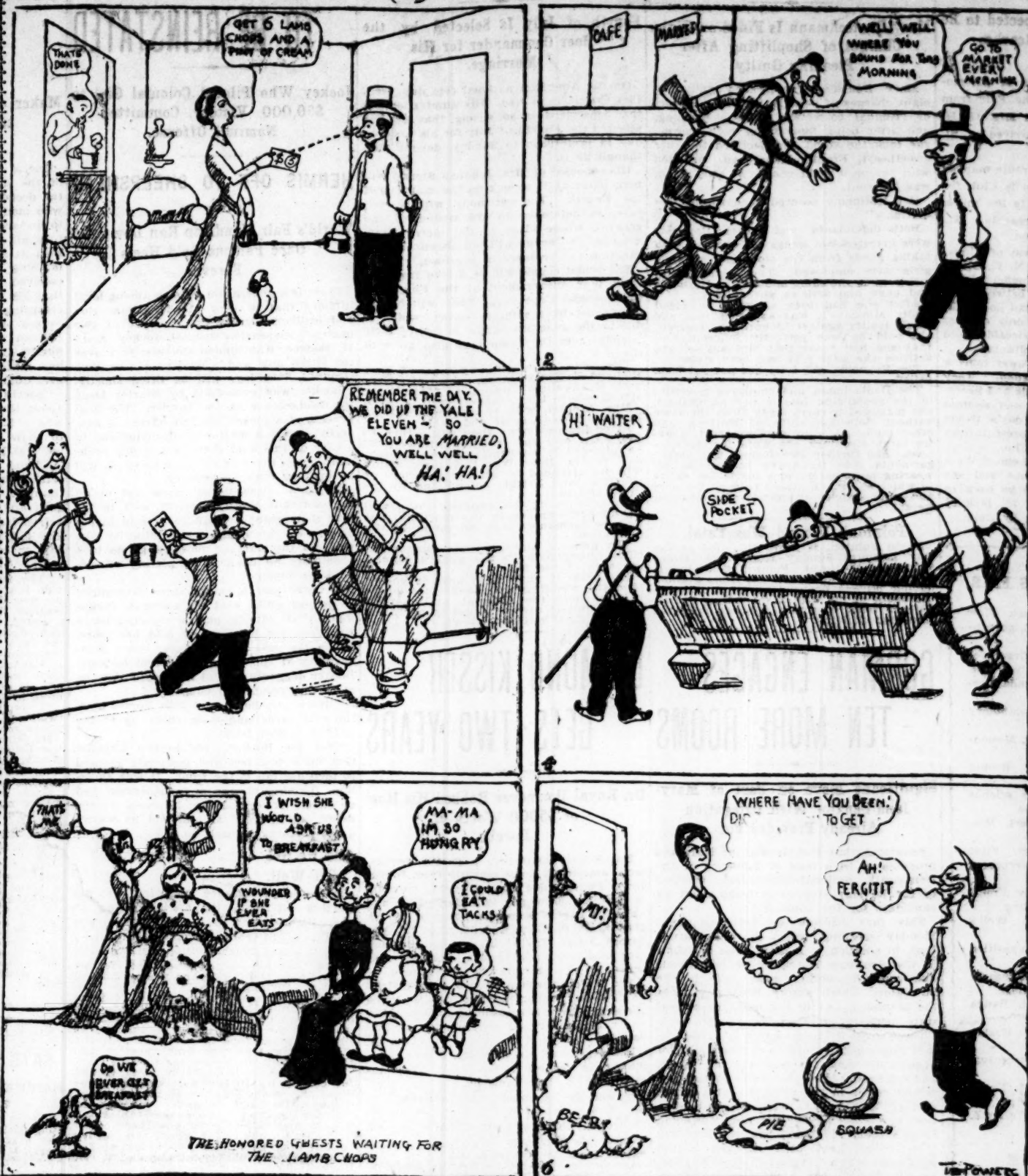
The Open Court argues for a parcels post, but owns that it is a hopeless dream. It quotes John Wannamaker, who, when postmaster-general, said that there were four insuperable obstacles to such a service: "First, the Adams Express Co.; second, the American Express Co.; third, the Southern Express Co.; fourth, the Wells-Fargo Express Co."

Whether a parcels post is a desirable public service or the carriage of parcels should be left to private enterprise need not be debated. The point is that the demand for it is not considered because these great carrying companies will not allow it. Great as is the government, it is not strong enough to resist the influence of these interests. And a public sentiment, acknowledged to be considerable in numbers and respectable in character, is not so persuasive with Congress and the department as the veto of private interests.

Are the executive officers of the United States government agents or are they not? Employed to serve the people, they confess that they cannot even consider a proposal made in faith for the betterment and extension of the public service. And congressional committees seem strangely sluggish in referring to them which involve entrenched interests. In the government the servant of public or private

## HOME, SWEET HOME.

(By T. E. Powers.)



## THE BREAKFAST THAT FAILED

### THE CLUBWOMAN'S VIEWS

By THE SOCIETY GIRL



"COL. EDWARDS," said the Society Girl, "has ordered that the Igorrotes be put in trousers."  
"Pants, my dear," said the Clubwoman. "Trousers are created. I think Col. Edwards is right in clothing the Igorrotes. Besides, most of us have seen them, anyway."  
"But that reminds me—this World's Fair has taught me one thing, and that is that most people who do not live in cities—and a good many who live in New York—think it terrible to spend Sunday in pleasure. You know, Sunday in St. Louis is a great outing day. St. Louis really enjoys the day, and it seems to surprise out-of-town visitors. It really offends them. Why, we have had friends—well, I suppose almost everyone in St. Louis has; but what I was going to say was that yesterday a friend, who is visiting us, told Mr. Brown that she didn't see how he could attend church in the morning and a summer garden in the evening. He said that there wasn't anything doing at the garden in the morning. She was shocked! I must say it did sound frivolous."

"I feel, somehow, that the Lord did not intend us to make two church services and a nap in the afternoon the sum total of our Sunday, but these visitors are so positive that I don't know how to answer them. Mr. Brown says I might answer them like the man did."

"It seems—I don't think it a nice story, and I don't agree with it at all. O, well, then, it seems a man and his wife occasionally had some friends in for an evening game of cards. A neighbor—a woman—went to their home one night and rebuked them. The man listened awhile, and then opened the door for the woman and said, 'Good-by.' The woman started to go, but turned, angrily, and said: 'You are bound for hell! Wasn't that awful language?'"

"What did the man say?" asked the Society Girl.

"He said: 'Well, then, an revoir.'"

"But why," asked the Society Girl, "did the Igorrotes' pants remind you of strict Sabbatarians?"

"Well," said the Clubwoman, "they maintain the conventions, but I wonder if they are comfortable."

**Missing Word Puzzle.**

Fill in the blank spaces in the ensuing poem as follows: The word for the first blank space must, when deprived of its first letter, be used to fill the second blank space. The remainder, deprived of its first letter, must be used in the third blank space, and the resulting remnant, deprived of its first letter, must fill the fourth blank space. When all these changes are made the following verse will make sense:

"Among the lily pads our oars were—  
Our idle hands the blossoms—  
I cried: 'Away, dull care, care—'  
And echo answered: '—'"

### A Sioux Falls Samson.

Peter Star of Sioux Falls is the name of a strong man who is surpassing all his marvelous feats. He is a Norwegian, about 24. Sater is a section hand on the Great Northern, between Sioux Falls and Garrettsville. His great strength lies chiefly in his jaws. On one occasion he fastened a strap around an anvil in a blacksmith shop, placed the end of the strap between his teeth and walked away with a rope and his teeth he lifted a 200-pound granite hitching block clear of the ground. Another feat is to take three sacks of sugar, weighing 100 pounds each, grasp them with his teeth by the corners and lift them clear of the ground.

### AT WHAT AGE SHOULD GIRLS MARRY?

By Nikola Greeley-Smith, Granddaughter of Horace Greeley.

The inquiry of this reader suggests the question of the age at which girls should marry. A common sense view of this interesting subject suggests that a girl should marry when—ever opportunity and inclination combine to make it seem worth while, whatever her age may be.

A rather cynical woman of the world once said to a prospective bride in discussing her at 18 it is very apt to be a mere memory at 20, and if we postpone taking it until that more mature age there is a sufficiently weary interval between, as with the candy problem, so that the answer to it depends largely on whether we are gluttons or philosophers.

However, the inquiry of the Post-Dispatch reader is simply whether a girl who has consented to marry him should make him wait two years for the fulfillment of her promise.

The answer to this depends largely on the age of the girl. If she is under 20—yes. If she is over that age and is postponing her marriage merely to have a good time, she seems hardly worthy of the noble fidelity of Jacob, who served 14 years for Rachel, one is tempted to wonder what Rachel looked like at the end of his long servitude, and to realize that there are few modern men capable of such long-drawn out devotion. And A. R. is herewith cautioned not to be one of these.

### Dr. Lyman Abbott on the Destiny of Woman.

The real results of this modern woman's movement are seen, I believe, says Dr. Lyman Abbott in the July World's Work, in better wages to self-supporting women; in enlarged opportunities for productive industry; in consequent industrial independence for the woman; in a resultant release from the odious compulsion which drove women into marriage as the only means of livelihood open to them; in an end to that kind of marital subordination which grew out of the fact that an uneducated woman is inferior to an educated man; in an intellectual companionship in the married life based on a common understanding of all life movements and a common interest in them all; in the ability of the mother to keep the intellectual respect of her boy after he has gone out of the home to college or to business, and to be his trusted counselor and his inspirer; in woman's broader horizon, larger life and more richly endowed character; in the ample service she can render to society, to her country, and to the world; and in her better equipment for the finest and highest service of all—that which is inherent in motherhood.

"It is a woman's destiny," "to create not things, but men. Our creations are our children; our children are our pictures, our books and our statues." This is the greatest career of all—greater than that of the lawyer, the doctor, the poet, or the artist. Law governs life, medicine prolongs life, poetry portrays life, art presents a simulacrum of life; the mother creates life. The education of the future will recognize motherhood as the supremest of all destinies, and the curriculum of all schools and colleges worthy of the name will be fashioned to conform to this standard and to prepare for this service.

### Force of Habit.

"Herbert has been running an auto so long that he has forgotten all about horse-back riding."  
"What did he do when the horse balked?"  
"He crawled under it to see what was the matter."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

### CURE FOR STAMMERING.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
In answer to the letter published in your paper last night, how to cure stammering, will say that the writer has cured himself and is willing to cure others. I live at 2113 Chipmunk street, and am home every night.  
A. KRAUSS.

### ROOMING HOUSE LICENSES.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
What can be done in regard to getting a license to admit to a rooming house? Now, I have one and last week the police commissioners turned all applicants down, and talked as though they would not grant any more licenses. Now, is it possible that these men with police caps are to monopolize the trade here, and people with small means who have put their money into rooming houses are to suffer because they are not allowed to distribute cards without being arrested? I would like this printed before the police commission meets again.  
A ROOMING HOUSE PROPRIETOR.

### JEFFERSON GUARDS' WEAPONS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
The Jefferson Guard deserves better treatment than to be required to wear a slingshot. It is the weapon of the coward and assassin and its use is condemned by all many men. If the Jefferson Guard must bear a weapon let it be a soldier's weapon, and not that of a thug.

### ANOTHER BLACK HAWK WAR PENSIONER.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
In a recent issue you said something about the last pensioner of the Black Hawk war. Mr. M. C. Wetmore called your attention to Mr. Lee of Shoshone, Ill. He might also mention Mr. Hallard of that vicinity, now living southwest of Patoka, who is also a pensioner of the Black Hawk war, now past 80 years of age.  
J. L. LESTER.

### DANCE HALL NUISANCE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
In answer to a complaint in Post-Dispatch of June 21, in regard to saloon corner Eighteenth street and Park avenue, the writer complains that the saloon is a nuisance. He also says that the place has been turned into a dance hall, which is also a nuisance, as no dancing is allowed, neither is profane or vulgar language permitted. We can refer anyone who is interested in the matter to the patrolman on this beat, who will bear us out in the assertion that this saloon is conducted in a properly manner.

### TO INCREASE THE CITY'S REVENUE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Reading your article in this evening's issue of the Post-Dispatch concerning merchants' and manufacturers' returns reminds me that quite recently a committee of the House of Representatives made exhaustive inquiries and reports on the same subject, showing that on 15 complete examinations of merchants and manufacturers the city lost in revenue over \$80,000. The attorneys and clerk employed by the committee are undoubtedly in the possession of information which, if given to the board of revenue, would increase the revenue of the city at least \$80,000, as appears from the report of the committee published in your paper at the time the report was filed. The board of revenue now in session has the power under the city ordinances to subpoena these gentlemen and obtain the information acquired by them in course of the investigation. If the board should follow this course it will result no doubt in an increase of the city revenue in a sum not less than \$80,000.  
TAXPAYER.

### COURTESY ON STREET CARS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Permit me to comment on the letter of Gertrude Ward in your issue of Wednesday. As a mere man, I do not feel in the least "humiliated" because of the courtesy shown by the little brown gentlemen of the Philippines, in giving up their seats in the car to ladies. They did not do it because of any native chivalry—not because they were from the Philippines, but because they had been taught by American teachers that it is proper courtesy. Granting that it is such, why is it so frequently neglected? Apart from the fact that men are often weary by the labor of the day, there may be other reasons. If ladies like your correspondent show a disposition to regard the courtesy as something they have a right to expect at all times, they must expect to find it neglected more and more. At least, a man expects a formal and graceful acknowledgment when it is accorded. But also he expects a little consideration for himself. Yesterday I occupied a seat in the front of a car and two ladies entered. I would have offered my seat, but was restrained by the fact that another woman allowed her two small boys to occupy two seats across the aisle. The boys would both have been happy standing by the door. In the seat they were uneasy, up and down and turning about, but they had not been taught as well as the Philippine gentlemen, the seat, they felt bound to keep it, and they did so. If this giving up of a seat is to be a matter of courtesy extended by men to women because they are women, independently of acquaintance, personal appearance or condition in life, then let women all manifest their appreciation of it by teaching their children the lessons so well learned by the distant islanders.  
R. H. H.

## POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS.

Legal questions not answered. Business addresses not given. No hints decided. Don't sign "Subscriber," or "Quaint Reader," no initials or initials. Address all letters, Post-Dispatch, City.

1104—Roosevelt is 46.  
A. B.—Fair Cascades run every day.  
M. H.—Ask at Adams Express office.  
D. S.—Rockefeller is richer than Morgan.  
SUZON—Inquiries for loss of life, 544.  
B. Y.—The government does not tag fish.  
EDELIE.—Keep cut flowers in cool place over night.  
DR. S.—Call your St. Bernard pets Bernard and Julia.  
RONG.—"Manufacturers" not "Manufacturers" building.  
F. W. M.—We know nothing of the raffle you mention.  
MONTEANA.—Fruit Robber Fitzpatrick's sentence, 15 years.  
CHARTER.—British vice-consul, W. Bascom, Century building.  
W. G. R.—Three miles an hour is average walking. Presidential age, 35.

LIBERTY.—Bicycles are licensed as vehicles and are therefore not allowed on sidewalks.  
JOHN CHEARY.—You would have to get a license to peddle meat at any price in this city.  
J. DOE.—Your coin is Spanish. No Spanish silver coin is worth more than its bullion value.  
A. B.—There are many checkrooms at the fair besides those at the gates. Ask in the buildings.  
W. A.—Any drug store for powder to overcome odor of perspiration. We have no formula.

A. M. P.—There are no aluminum or celluloid factories here. Examine directories of other cities. Public Library.  
CHARTER.—See the manager for the company for all answers at the theater. He says he will give you information desired.

BINGO.—Model battleship St. Louis is in Government building. Empress An's portrait is in the American section of Liberty Bell.  
A. M. J.—Joy and girl names that begin with S. Seth, Sidney, Shirley, Stephen, Stuart, Scott, Stella, Sylvia, Sara, Sabine, Salome, Sophie.

BAPTE.—We know nothing of any dollar of 1903 in connection with senon tickets. The coin store pays no premium on coin of that date.

O. F. H.—There are no loadstone mines. It is found in Missouri and many other parts of the world, and is only a curiosity, it is of little value.

B. M. G.—We know of no law library from which a student can picture books by paying nominal fee, and have no knowledge of the Indian Territory bar.

J. H. MUELLER.—If you are to have your photograph taken at the Administration building, take car at Intramural Station No. 1 and get off at No. 4.

S. E. H.—The loin is the part of the body of a man or quadruped which lies between the lower rib and the hip bones. German Lende is same as English loin.

J. B.—Beer is served in German Wine Restaurant, east of German national pavilion east of Cascades, which is evidently what you mean. There is no German Village, so called.

BUSINESS PROPOSITION.—To obtain lists of employees we know of no satisfactory method except that of applying to employers. Write a talk with Directory Publisher about it.

HENRY P. KOUTZ.—Bananas as a crop are not raised in California. They cannot be grown there successfully for commercial purposes. The California banana is merely ornamental.

IGNORAMUS.—A President may serve as many terms as the people choose to elect him. Since Washington's time, however, it has been considered bad form to nominate any man for a third term.

MIS. M. RUN.—Notify the Health Department persistently. Write to the police. Nuisance is abated. One must get busy sometimes in order to have the benefit of the sanitary laws.

CHURCH.—Probably everybody can hypnotize. Suggestive Power for electrical chair comes from the generator. Little is useful, and it is well for students of English to know it. These "well" people, who make a practice of teaching Latin, and G and Q for C major. D. F. sharp and D. C. for C major. Write Librarian of Congress, Washington, D. C. for all facts in regard to copyright.

G. E.—You cannot increase your height beyond what nature intended. Bad habits may sometimes stunt growth. Stand in an erect position walking or sitting and stretch your limbs well every morning. Tobacco affects every part of the body, and we therefore, could not judge of your case. All unhealthy habits, however, should be abandoned—be your own master.

X. Y. Z.—The dry battery is made on exactly the same principle as the ordinary wet battery, with the exception of the use of a porous separator. It would not be a dry battery if the carbon becomes saturated with salt ammonia. With a fair exposure to air it would not be a dry battery. With a fair exposure to air it would not be a dry battery. With a fair exposure to air it would not be a dry battery.



## BOY'S LIFE SAVED BY BLOW IN FACE

Rescuer Strikes and Stuns Drowning Youth Who Resists Effort to Help Him.

## GOING DOWN FOR LAST TIME

George Sands of St. Louis Has Saved Others in Same Manner at Pittsburg Lake.

George Sands of St. Louis saved Elmer Goodwin of East St. Louis from drowning in Pittsburg lake by hitting him in the eye. Goodwin was drowning, and Sands was trying to save him. Goodwin was trying to drown Sands, who would have prevented his rescue and might have caused both to drown. Sands hit him in the eye and saved him, and got him to shore before he revived enough to do any more clutching. Sands was at the lake, which is at the foot of the bluffs, seven miles from East St. Louis, with a party of friends. Goodwin, who is 13 years old, had come out with two or three other small boys. Sands and his friends were fishing on the shore. The boys had waded out through the shallows to deeper water and were swimming. Goodwin got beyond his depth. The other boys called for help. Sands dashed out through the shallow water to the deep water and swam to the rescue of the boy. Goodwin was going down the last time when Sands reached him. The boy tried frantically to catch hold of Sands. Seeing that the boy was likely to cause both of them to drown, Sands struck him in the eye with his fist. The boy's struggles ceased and Sands swam with him to the shore. He was dazed and all but unconscious, but the water was rolled out of him and he soon revived. He was then sent to his home on Josephine avenue, East St. Louis. Sands went on with his fishing. It is said that Sands, who often goes to the lake to fish, has saved three or four persons by hitting them in the face as he did with Goodwin.

**Culver (Lake Maxinkuckee)**  
Through sleeper via Vandalia line, 8:34 p. m. daily.

**Missing Boy Sought at the Fair.**  
W. P. Fanning of Oakland, Ill., is a St. Louis looking for his 15-year-old son, Frank, who, with two other boys, Ollie McIntyre and Logan Blevins, left their homes in Oakland at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. The boys had often talked of coming to St. Louis to see the fair, and Mr. Fanning believes they are here.

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Is primary cause of disease. One bottle of Drake's Fennel Wine cures. A trial bottle free. Drake Fennel Wine Company, Chicago. For sale by Babington & Co., 730 N. 3rd.

## FAST TRAINS TO TEXAS.

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NO CHANGE OF CARS OR ROUTE.

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Lv. St. Louis	9:15 a. m.	8:32 p. m.
Ar. Muskogee	12:45 a. m.	11:35 a. m.
" S. McAlester	2:30 a. m.	1:20 p. m.
" Denison	5:10 a. m.	4:20 p. m.
" Dallas	8:25 a. m.	7:50 p. m.
" Ft. Worth	8:35 a. m.	7:45 p. m.
" Waco	12:15 p. m.	11:40 p. m.
" Houston	9:30 p. m.	7:50 a. m.
" San Antonio	9:20 p. m.	7:50 a. m.

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Stephen Soyhl Plunged From Third-Story Window Headforemost While Asleep.

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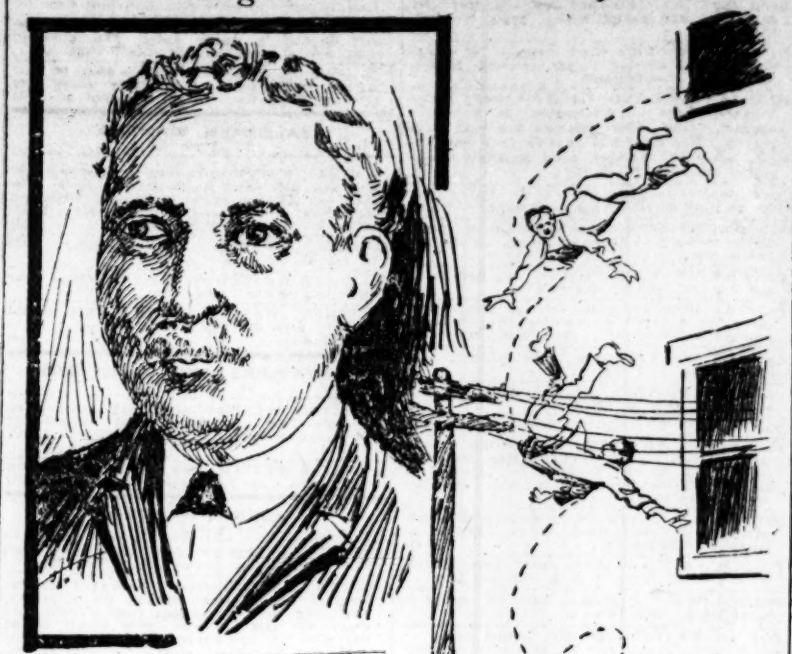
Electric wires saved the life of Stephen Soyhl, who fell at midnight from a third floor window of his home. He struck the wires in his descent, and was suspended there an instant. The fall was broken and he struck on his feet instead of on his head. His ankles were broken, but he will get over that. Soyhl, who is an ironworker, 38 years old, lives on the third floor at 1315 North Broadway. Late Saturday night he went to sleep as was sitting by the window of the third floor front room. The sill was low and after a while he toppled over and rolled out of the window, plunging head first toward the pavement below. He struck the electric wires. His body rebounded and righted, and the rest of the fall was in the upright position. He struck the sidewalk feet first. The impact broke both of his ankles, and caused him to sink to a kneeling posture. In that attitude he was found by his wife, who hurried below after she heard him tumble from the window. A policeman came, an ambulance was called and the man was taken to the City hospital. The physician there says, "I thought he received a severe shock in addition to the fractures, that he will recover."

## DOWIE LOVES T. ROOSEVELT

Shouts Defiance at King Edward at Long Range and to Reporters Nearby.

NEW YORK, June 27.—On his first public appearance, after his trip around the world, John Alexander Dowie declared that he loved President Roosevelt and denounced King Edward. He spoke at Carnegie Hall Sunday morning and afternoon, making two addresses at each session. In his first address he referred to King Edward as "that old fellow" and to President Roosevelt as "that young fellow." He said: "Defender of the faith, indeed! Two weeks ago he was a man of honor and a man of courage, but now he is a man of shame and a man of cowardice. He is a man who is afraid to tell the truth, and I believe he is too good a man to be afraid to hear of it." To the reporters he shouted: "But I say to each one of you fellows—beware! You will each have to stand before God for your own sins!"

## Stephen Soyhl, and Diagram of His Plunge From Third-Story Window



## WHAT KIND OF A SUMMER IS THIS, ANYWAY?

The day is cold and dark and chilly. Our summer clothes look like and silly. The rain coats are cheerless drabs. And the igorrote needs the pants.

What kind of a summer is this, anyway? The theatrical people would like to know. One day it is too hot for indoor shows, and the next day it is too cold for garden shows. The result is that the indoor shows are trying to quit and can't, because business lingers up wonderfully now and then, and the garden shows are trying to get under full blast and can't because every now and then a cold wind comes down from the north as though to remind them that the garden season has not opened.

The result is that the harvest is exceedingly uncertain. Some of the garden people have about made up their minds that there isn't to be any summer this time.

West End Heights had two good audiences yesterday. They were attracted by the announcement of the new and high-class bill that was put on. The audiences were the largest that have been there this season. The program was certainly a good one and those who saw it felt amply repaid.

The Australian Quartet was the headliner, and it deserved the place. The members of the quartet were Mrs. Modona, soprano; Miss Ida Horvath, alto; St. Louis lady, contralto; A. C. Larrivee, tenor; and Arthur Arbuckle, a St. Louis actor and the well-known actor Macklin Arbuckle, baritone. The selections that the quartet gave were of the highest class, and consisted of the quartet from "Lucia," the beautiful quartet "Mountain and Dale," from the "Bohemian Girl," and the trio from "Adello." All the selections were most enjoyable and well-rendered. Each one of the members of the quartet had a fine voice, and the result was that there were numerous encores called for and given. The quartet made a hit.

Shannon and Lucier, two acrobatic comedians, gave a pleasing acrobatic act that went well with the audience. The offering of Brooks and Young, musical artists, was an entertaining one. Kherens and Cole, two well-known German comedians, gave a very laughable and funny German act, called "Prof. Schütz." It created much amusement. Gerlie Laclaire and her two little pickaninnies gave a very clever turn, in which both Miss Laclaire and the two youngsters divided honors. Erwin Connelly & Co., who have been recently members of the Imperial Stock Co., presented a musical farce called "Papa's Boy." It afforded much amusement. Each of the members in the cast did well in their respective roles.

The entire bill was certainly well selected.

Kiraly's Louisiana Spectacle entertained yesterday afternoon and last night the biggest audiences seen in the city since the famous producer put on the World's Fair attraction, May 27. The Kiraly show is one of the big attractions of the fair, and out which the World's Fair would not be complete. It carries the biggest and most beautiful ballet ever attempted by the producer in any of the shows he has put on at his cities, not excepting that which he had in "America" at Chicago.

The Delmar Garden "Louisiana" is a part of the fair. At least this was the opinion expressed by the big audience at Delmar last night, when the World's Fair picture showing the Cascade, with the beautiful fountain, was given its first illumination. The Delmar Garden picture is a transparency, and ever since the big production opened a special lighting apparatus has been in course of construction. It is composed of thousands of lights, and last night the picture was illuminated. The effect was gorgeous and the 3000 spectators were vociferous in applause. Certainly the picture presented was the gorgeous. The spectacle, however, is only a small part of the entertainment furnished by the Delmar Garden "Louisiana," and last night the picture of the principals, of which there are so many good ones, kept the audience in a constant state of enjoyment. Last night the Delmar management changed the hour of the evening performance from 8:30 to 8:45, more in keeping with summer garden hours.

"A Girl From Dixie" began its fourth week at the Century Theater last night, and it had an audience of such proportions that the managers of the house and the show cannot see the end of the engagement. It may continue into July. The cool weather of yesterday and last night had much to do with the good attendance at the Century, for the city is full of visitors, and they do not object to going indoors to a show when the weather is not too warm; as a matter of fact, the Century has been kept full and cool even when the thermometer was registering around 90, and many of the people who have come to see the fair have found out that they have nothing to dread in going to an indoor theater in summer. "A Girl From Dixie" is a good show. It is pretty, lively, amusing and it has those frothy elements which are so much in vogue here for the first time. The show is a popular summer show. It will be at the Century at the end of the week, with matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

creates lots of fun to it. Jack Gardner is a black-face entertainer of merit, who can keep his audiences laughing all the time. Snyder and Buckley have added the extravaganzas to their well-known German musical act, and the Hadji Tahar Arabesque, who open the show with a song and a whir, present some wonderful poses.

Splendid audiences greeted the "Quincy Adams Sawyer" company at the Crawford Theater yesterday. Two full months stand to the record of the company, and it closed its engagement on Saturday evening of this week. The company has made a success never equaled in St. Louis, and will be greeted with a royal welcome in a return in the regular season.

Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be given this week as usual. A special rate will be made to all teachers showing their convention badges at the ticket office, where the price of best seats will be cut in halves the same as the management of the bill, including matinees and the teachers' convention held in that city.

"Two Thousand Years Ago" enjoyed a large patronage yesterday. An ideally cool day made a visit to the Nilsson statuary exhibit, Grand and Lucie, an enjoyable affair. All of the 16 groups of the life of Christ, and the life of the Virgin Mary, the Last Supper, after the Da Vinci painting, finds most acclamation. The grouping of the scene is admirably correct and artistic.

Will H. Fox, he of comedy piano playing fame, opened Sunday at Mannion's Park as the distinctive head-line feature. Mr. Fox only arrived in America two weeks ago and spent last week visiting the fair. This week he plays Mannion's Park, then to New York one week and back to Europe. He will have to leave the last opportunity for two years which St. Louisans will have to hear Mr. Fox. The act is really funnier and better than ever. There was a chance for improvement, which was doubtful, and his work has the ring and stamp of the artist. Montgomery and Pearl offer a musical sketch that is better than the usual run of this class of acts, while the balance of the bill, including Miss Kroesko, comedians and dancers; Judd and Ivora, comedy acrobats, and Miss Carolyn Young, who are all pleasing. Matinees are given daily.

The Well band concert at Tower Grove Park yesterday was successful in every respect. The band never played better and the audience, said to have been the largest ever in Tower Grove, was enthusiastic in demonstration. The reception accorded the band was well deserved. The piccolo solo of John Kiburg was an artist's performance.

Judging from the interest taken in the kinetograph, a train robbery was "headlined" at the Suburban Garden Sunday. In truly realistic manner, with all the effects contributed by stage management, the details of the hold-up were shown with startling naturalness.

The Suburban opened up its fifth week with one of its strongest bills. Miss Josephine Gassman with her three pickaninnies made a decided hit, and still continues to charm the audience with her own songs as only Miss Gassman can. Martinetti and his European troupe, with ten artists, in a novelty musical act, are also good, playing music from all manner of funny instruments, such as bicycles, singers, etc. De Holles and Valora, European comedy jugglers, present a clever turn. Lew Palmer, comedian and mimic, and Sidonia, direct from Holland, Germany, in a comedy-tire walking stunt, are more than pleasing.

**Runaway Boy Is Sought.**  
Richard Smith, aged 14, has been missing from his home at 515 Grattan street since last Friday morning. The boy had often talked of going to Chicago and his mother, Mrs. Tillie Smith, has asked the police to watch outboard Chicago trains for him.

## CARDINAL SATOLLI ARRIVES TONIGHT

Local Committee Goes to Carlyle to Meet the Distinguished Visitor.

A committee of five clergymen and five laymen who will meet Cardinal Satolli at Carlyle, Ill., this evening and escort him to St. Louis, left for Carlyle this morning. The members of the committee are Rev. Fathers Tallon, Tobyn, Hoffman, Reis and Spigaldi and Messrs. Festus J. Wake, Theophile Papin, Jr., John Schroers, K. C. Kerens, F. A. Drew and John Schroers. The committee will wait at Carlyle until the arrival of the Baltimore & Ohio train to which Cardinal Satolli's special car will be attached.

Cardinal Satolli left Washington, D. C., Sunday night. In the party are Mr. O'Connell, rector of the University of Washington, three secretaries and probably a number of church officials.

No function has been arranged for the entertainment of Cardinal Satolli tonight. After arriving at Union Station he will at 1 o'clock Tuesday be met by Archbishop Glennon, 340 Lindell boulevard, where he will be a guest during his stay in St. Louis. Tuesday morning Cardinal Satolli will pay formal calls on President Francis and Mayor Wells after similar visits to him have been made by them. A breakfast in the cardinal's honor will be given by Chevalier von Strhal at the Austrian pavilion at 1 o'clock Tuesday. At 3 o'clock in the evening Archbishop Glennon will give a dinner to which the suffragan bishops of the province have been invited.

At 10 o'clock Wednesday morning the cardinal will officiate at the observance of the Feast of St. Peter at St. Peter and Paul's Church, Eighth street and Allen avenue. Pontifical high mass will be sung. In the afternoon at 4 o'clock Mrs. Francis D. Hirschberg will give a garden party in honor of Cardinal Satolli, and in the evening Mr. Jules Boucwiller will entertain him at dinner at the residence of R. C. Kerens, 38 Vandeventer place.

Wednesday he will leave for Chicago.

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## ANGRY CITIZENS Avenge Insult

Negro Who Spoke Disrespectfully to Woman Pursued Into Officers' Arms.

A crowd of a hundred persons tried to punish a negro in East St. Louis Sunday night because he spoke offensively to a woman. The negro was Gilbert Johnson of Alta St. He was a passenger on a Chevrolet car. At Collinsville avenue a white woman tried to board the car. Johnson was sitting at the end of a cross seat. The woman asked him to move over so that she could get on. He replied insultingly and several white men who heard him made a rush for him. He leaped off of the car and ran down Broadway to Main street, with a crowd of a hundred men and boys after him.

As he turned the corner into Main street he ran into Policemen Hurley, Haggerty and Stocker. They arrested him and started toward the station. The crowd pressed around them. There were threatening shouts and some of the men in the crowd tried to take the prisoner away from them. The prisoner was hurried to the police station, not far away, and locked up. Monday morning the negro was fined \$5 and costs for disturbing the peace.

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Philip Hale, the Boston musical critic and author of the symphony program books, was talking not long ago with a woman who is strenuously pursuing musical culture. "What is the difference between the first and second violin in an orchestra?" "About \$10 a concert, madam," replied the critic.

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William Jennings Bryan will be one of the Fourth of July orators at the World's Fair. President Francis several days ago invited the Democratic chieftain to take part in the national holiday demonstration at the Exposition, and a dispatch to the Post-Dispatch from Lincoln Monday morning announces Bryan's acceptance.

**Mrs. S. H. Richardson Dead.**  
Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., June 27.—Mrs. S. H. Richardson, chief engineer of the Western and of J. H. Richardson of St. Louis, also a Western engineer, died at this home at the former in Edwardsville this morning.

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Alberto Santos-Dumont wants a day like that. If the weather is as kind to the famous aeronaut as it was to Darius Green in this fine old rhyme of our childhood the daring Brazilian will cry "Let go all" out at the Fair next Monday, and the Santos-Dumont No. 7 will mount into the air and sail six miles over a figure 8 course, beginning at the center of the 8, and beginning and ending the flight at the airship enclosure, just west of the Administration building.

"The directors have conceded me a straight-away course," said the little Brazilian to the Post-Dispatch today as he jumped here and there in the big aerodrome out at the Fair, personally superintending the unpacking of his ship. Three Frenchmen who came over from Paris for this purpose were doing the unpacking. Santos-Dumont was always in their midst. He knows every part of his ship. He made the most of them with his own ingenious hands. He was anxious to see how the ship had stood the long trip, and as piece after piece of it came out of the boxes the man who has half of Paris stiff-necked with watching him cruising around over the housetops, rubbed his hands and relaxed his decorous little countenance into the warmest and finest of Brazilian smiles as he found everything all right.

"Everything seems to be coming out all right," he said.

Plowman Thought

Airship Was Junk.

The presence of the bird man who electrified the world by sailing around the Eiffel tower and winning the Deutsch prize of 10,000 francs was about all that identified the contents of the three boxes unpacked in the aerodrome (airship barn) this morning. Without him it would have been hard to guess what the boxes were yielding.

"What's all that junk?" said a red-whiskered plowman from Nodaway county, looking in on the pile of rods, wheels, nuts, bolts, wrenches, etc., lifted out of one of the boxes.

"I didn't know this Santos-Dumont was a plumber," observed an onlooker, who didn't appear to know anything much.

Really, the un assembled parts of the Santos-Dumont 7 did bear a striking resemblance to an automobile wreck.

The Japanese silk balloon was in the largest of the three boxes. This box was some 25 feet long by 4 feet high and 4 feet deep. The balloon is cylindrical in shape when it is full of gas, and it is a monster; moreover, it is a beauty, but it did not look any of these as it came out of the box this morning, and the onlookers could not quite understand the ecstatic expression upon the face of Santos-Dumont as he caressed the fine fabric of the balloon with his hands and affectionately regarded the billowy expanses, his sharp eye seeking blemishes or whatever else might have befallen the treasured ship in its journey over seas.

The three boxes and their contents weighed 3000 pounds. The balloon proper occupied one box; the other contained the motor and color, and the third was filled with tools and parts.

From the main box came a dozen bamboo poles, each 25 feet in length.

"What are they asked the human interrogation point, rubbing his head into the innermost circle while his feet remained outside."

"Part of the ship," said a man with a maitre d' air, counting the poles aloud.

"What part of the ship?" persisted the man with the Paris neck.

"Why, you see, he joints them poles together just like a fishing pole, and uses it for a sounding pole while he cruises," said the short man with a long head, who had ridden on a steamboat once.

"I will surely make an ascent on the Fourth if I get my airship together all right," M. Dumont said.

"You have seven days. That should be time enough."

"Yes, but I cannot tell what may happen. I will be the happiest man on earth if I can make an ascent on the Fourth."

"On the earth"—that was just what he said.

The wind will determine the direction in which the figure 8 course will be laid. It may be north and south from the airship enclosure, or it may be east and west. If it is east and west Mr. Santos-Dumont will come down over the city as far east as Union Station.

He may even shake hands with the big clock in the tower.

World's Fair Souvenir Shoes. The Brown Shoe Co.'s White House President World's Fair Souvenir shoes for men, made in their World's Exhibit shoe factory on the World's Fair grounds. For sale at Barr's Shoe Department, Seventh and Olive streets, \$4 per pair.

Identified as Robber. William Jourdan of 207 North Fifteenth street, who was robbed at Fifteenth and Pine streets last Friday night, was identified as Charles Oberholser, now under arrest, as the man who robbed him. The police say the trio admit being guilty.

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